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CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(4)

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(4), assignee of the above captioned patent application, Genentech, Inc. of 1 DNA Way, South San Francisco, California, 94080, consents to amending inventorship of this patent application as shown in the accompanying papers. I am an agent of record and am empowered to act on behalf of Genentech, Inc. as evidenced by the enclosed document.

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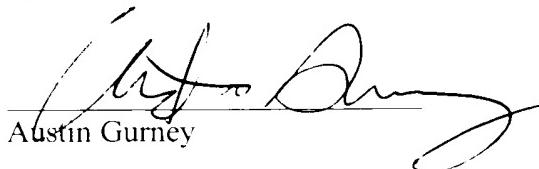
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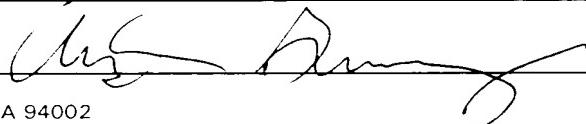
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